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I MINA TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN 2012 (SECOND) Regular Session

Resolution No31	(LS)
Introduced by:	R.J. Respicio

Relative to acknowledging, commending and honoring Ms. Margaret A. Bengzon, President and CEO of Guam Healthcare Development, Inc. --Guam Regional Medical City, for her unique capacity, extraordinary vision and unwavering commitment to improving health care, and reducing the rate of non-communicable diseases in Micronesia by investing in the people of Guam and thereby improving the quality of life for the entire region, and to also celebrate the "Topping off of Ancillary Areas" of the Guam Regional Medical City which took place on Wednesday, Dec. 12, 2012 (12-12-12).

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RULES OF I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN:

WHEREAS, The Medical City organization has over forty-five years of experience in hospital operations and administration, its world-class health care complex serving some 50,000 in-patients and 1.2 million out-patients annually, with a medical staff of 1,500 physicians who are established experts in their various fields of specialization, and who are assisted by a staff of over 2,200 professionals engaged in allied medical, administrative and support services; and WHEREAS, Margaret A. Bengzon serves as a member of The Medical City's senior management, overseeing such critical units as Human Resources, Information Technology, Systems and Quality, Marketing and Sales, Customer

Relations, Corporate Communications and Corporate Planning; and

WHEREAS, She led the hospital's bid for the prestigious Joint Commission International Accreditation in 2006, 2009 and again in 2012, and Ms. Bengzon also directed the hospital's Process Reengineering and Organizational Transformation Project, which positioned the hospital for national and international sector leadership; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bengzon has been responsible for a number of successful strategic acquisitions and partnerships in the Philippines and abroad, in line with the hospital's network development thrust, most recently the Guam Regional Medical City; and

WHEREAS, on Wednesday, Dec, 12, 2012, a "Topping off of Ancillary Areas" ceremony took place to commemorate the event that provides the underpinning for a bright future for healthcare in Guam; and

WHEREAS, Because of her unique capacity and extraordinary vision the people of Guam will no longer have to suffer due to lack of adequate health care facilities, and

WHEREAS, The Guam Regional Medical City is not only an important health care project but also a substantial economic development project that is valued at over Two Hundred Sixteen Million Dollars (\$216,000,000) and will employ over four hundred staff members; and

WHEREAS, present at the "Topping off of Ancillary Areas" were the members of the Board of Directors of Professional Services, Inc (The Medical City) including President and CEO of The Medical City Dr. Alfredo R.A. Bengzon;

President and CEO of Guam Regional Medical City Margaret A. Bengzon; The Honorable Governor Edward Baza Calvo; The Honorable Senator and Majority Leader Rory J. Respicio; The Honorable Dededo Mayor Melissa B. Savares; and President and Chair of Guam HealthCare and Hospital Development Foundation Peter R. Sgro, Jr.; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina' Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the People of Guam, congratulates Ms. Margaret A. Bengzon and her entire team in Guam and the Philippines on the occasion of the Topping off of Ancillary Areas of the Guam Regional Medical City, beginning a brighter health-care future for Guam and all of Micronesia; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Committee on Rules of *I Mina' Trentai Unu Na Liheslaturan Guåhan* does hereby, on behalf of the People of Guam, commend and express a heartfelt *Si Yu'os Ma'åse* to those who have a key role in the furtherance of medical care for the people of Guam, specifically President and CEO of Guam Regional Medical City Margaret A. Bengzon; President and CEO of The Medical City Dr. Alfredo R.A. Bengzon; and to all other officials of The Medical City and the Guam Regional Medical City; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Speaker and the Chairperson of the Committee on Rules certify, and the Secretary of the Legislature attest to the adoption hereof, and that copies of the same be thereafter transmitted to Ms. Margaret A. Bengzon,

President and CEO of the Guam Regional Medical City and to The Honorable

Edward Baza Calvo, I Maga'lahen Guåhan.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED BY I MINA'TRENTAI UNU NA LIHESLATURAN GUÅHAN ON THIS _____DAY OF DECEMBER, 2012.

Judith T. Won-Pat, Ed.D.

Speaker

Tina Rose Muña Barnes
Legislative Secretary